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THE GRAND ARMY.

Day by day their ranks are thinning, one by one they disappear,
And at each succeeding roll call fewer voices answer "Here."

Still their regiments are marching—many march with noiseless tread,
And the bugles sound "assembly" in the bivouac of the dead.

Glorious tales of gallant service echo still on every hand;
Charge and siege and bitter hardship—comrades lost on sea and land.

Now a reunited nation joins to bless the honored dead,
Thought forgetful of the living who have likewise fought and bled.

Hats are reverently lifted to the heroes lying here;
Lift them to the living heroes—hail them all with cheer on cheer.

Not for long will they be with us; soon each regiment will be
Tented here beneath the blossoms of the land it helped to free.

But to-day the drums are muffled and the flag at half mast waves,
Keeping green dead heroes' memories as the grass above their graves.

Still another weary winter shrouded in the snow they lay;
Now we bring them crowns and garlands of the loveliest blooms of May.

Let them rest in honored slumber, while their praise, from shore to shore,
Eighty million throats are swelling—we are free forevermore!

—*Elsie Florence Fay in Success.*

"HOW MARCILLA CAME HOME"

A DECORATION DAY STORY.

[Synopsis of first part of story:—Marcilla Harrison, a little girl of twelve, was on the program for an enterainment gotten up at her native town, Petersville, Vermont, in honor of a gathering of Grand Army men. She played marches and military airs on the piano and did it so well that the Grand Army men gave her an ovation and their old commander and his wife adopted the little orphan and sent her to Europe where she developed into a famous pianist, having played before the Emperor of Germany and the Czar of Russia. In this story, she has returned to America as "Madam Sombra," in charge of Herr Schwartz, a noted concert manager who hoped for rich returns from the talented performers composing his company. They passed across the continent, winning applause and wealth, and returned to New York, where (careful of his star performer) Herr Schwartz rented a house for Madam Sombra and arranged for her comfort in every way possible. He did indeed look "longingly at Mrs. Millionaire's of $20,000.00 for a single afternoon" but Madam Somba would not listen to it. And just then came a letter from a clergyman in Petersville, Vermont, asking if the famous performer would not come to her old home village and help to lift the $1000 mortgage on the church by giving a concert. There was to be a Grand Army meeting, so an audience was assured. And to the disgust of Herr Schwartz, Madam Sombra wrote that she would come and bring all her company. We take up the story where Madam Sombra appears for her first number on the program—the same program that had been given before the German Emperor.]

Her eyes rested lovingly for more than a moment on the solid phalanx of enthusiastic men in blue coats; this section of the Grand Army of the Republic now, also! all gray haired, who, or others like them, had been her first audience. Then she turned and sat down at the piano, and the clamor ceased as abruptly as it began. Her nimble, capable, expressive fingers floated up and down the keyboard, and the grand instrument responded with the fireworks of Chopin's "Scherzo in B Minor." No audience could be more attentive; not a sound came from it. Then followed the sweet notes of the "Molto piu lento" section of this selection, and after a pause the artiste played the simple melody of "Trois Nouvelles Etudes."

Before she had finished the woman knew, with the sensitive intuition of an artiste, that her audience was bewildered rather than delighted. Was this, she almost heard them say to themselves, was this the sort of thing that kings and emperors showered favors for? If there was any method or meaning in the performance, it had eluded them. Madam Sombra rose from the piano with a sinking sense of failure. The Grand Army, like the claque in the center of the Paris Open House, applauded riotously, but the rest held back nnd expressed their feelings with gingerly perfunctoriness.

Signor Spaghetti came on, and sang with much gesture an impassioned Italian love song. The audience did not know what to make of it at first, but when the famous tenor came to the grand finale, leaned forward, rolled his eyes upward, and shuddering clinched his open palms against his manly breast, his hearers came to the conclusion that this was a comic effort, and the final wail of broken-hearted despair was lost in a cyclone of laughter.

The tenor retired behind the scenes in a teeth-gnashing rage, and swore fearful Neapolitan oaths that he would not appear before such brigands again, and neither did he, thus throwing the program somewhat into confusion. The innocent crowd, unconscious of what it had done, meanwhile stamped and shouted for his reappearance. They had never seen anything just like this before, and they evidently wished him to come back and do it again. Herr Schwartz himself was too angry and Madam Sombra too much depressed to see any humor in the situation, while the Italian raged with furious gestures like a madman, and Fraulein Vogel sat silent and frightened.

Madam Sombra appeared for the second time. There was no smile on her face, and she seemed to dread the ordeal before her. She began the butterfly opening of the "Lyrische Stucke, Op. 43," by Greig, and the daintiness of her playing seemed in a measure to be appreciated by her listeners. She passed on to the more somber cadences of the lonely wanderer, and then to his lament for his country, wondering as she went on whether Greig's wanderer felt more dejected than she did at that moment, and so to the birds and the finale of the springtime. Applause, of course, when she had finished, but she retired with the leaden feeling of utter discomfiture. Between herself and her audience there was neither sympathy nor understanding.

Fraulein Vogel's song was luckily encored, and this gave madam a little further breathing space before the next selection she was to render. First the "Novelletten," second the "Romanzen, op. 28," of Schumann, beginning with briskness, ending with melancholy, which the discouraged woman thought was typical of this night's performance. When she returned to the room at the back of the platform, she sank into a chair, laid her arms on the table, bent her head and wept. The nearly demented Herr Schwartz spent his time alternately trying to console her and insisting on the tenor taking his turn, while the tenor, still gloomily cursing, absolutely refused to do.

"The pigs!" cried Schwartz. "What they appreciate is a common march! It is pearls before swine. I implore you, madam, to appear no more!"

"No, no!" cried madam, raising her head and brushing her eyes. "It is all my own fault. I cannot play to-night."

"You have never played better, madam," insisted Herr Schwartz, "and it is not your fault; but what is to be expected here at the end of the world—at the North Pole? You shall not appear again."

But madam rose. The audience was waiting. "After all," she said, "they have been very patient and very good-natured."

"Ah, well," sighed Herr Schwartz seeing her determination, "Brahms will rouse them if anything can."

The last item on the program was "Zwei Rhapsodien," by Brahms. The pianist received the customary applause when she appeared for the final number. Her soldiers were faithful to her, whether they understand the music or not. She stopped for a moment at the piano, motionless, arms hanging by her side, as if reluctant to begin. Herr Schwartz stood unhappily in the corner, watching her intently, one hand nervously rubbing against the other. He feared that she would faint or cry; that something disastrous would follow, he was certain. He knew the artistic temperament, its need of sympathy and encouragement. At last the player's hands hovered over the keys and an almost inaudible melody began.

"Ach Gott!" muttered Schwartz, taking half a step forward, "that is not Brahms; but he checked himself knowing his helplessness. In a twinkling the crowd caught the time and a simultaneous shout went up. It was the old tramping melody, "Marching Through Georgia," and some of the whitehaired men seated there had accompanied Sherman in that historical dash for the sea.

"Hush, hush!" they whispered, and the shout died down into silence. Softly came the music. Every man woman and child there had heard it hundreds of times before, but never exactly like this. There was a subdued melancholy in the cadence that brought to the mind the picture of tired men slowly trudging through an enemy's land. A hoarse voice was heard whispering:

"I swear, Tom, I can hear the mud slosh in our boots!"

"I can hardly lift my foot," replied Tom and Marcilla knew she had them, although there were indignant hisses of "Hush, hush!" At last the low thunder of a distant gun, and a sob broke from more than one veteran's throat.

"Atlanta, by Heaven!" and this time it was not a whisper, but an excited cry.

The nearer guns opened out, and the song itself became a cry to battle, and now, at last, the audience understood why Marcilla was the greatest pianist in the world. The call to battle was drowned in the scream of shell and the thunder of the guns, the shrieks of the wounded and the defiance of their avengers pressing on. The great piano, with its huge, uplifted lid, became a veritable Port Arthur in its demoniac clangor of war and death. Then came the bugle calls and the ceasing of gun fire, and now "Marching Through Georgia" emerged from lessening roar; but it was no longer the wearied men's song. It had become a pæan of victory, a trumpet call of liberty, a something worth fighting for and dying for.

The triumphant chorus swept the veterans from their feet. Every man was up, cheering at the top of his voice, and now the whole standing audience took up the time and sang the words, the piano leading them as a master leads his orchestra.

When the final chord was struck Madam Sombra rose and faced the tumult of cheering, weeping, laughing and shouting.

Marcilla had come home!—*Robert Barr, in Saturday Evening Post.*

How Memorial Day Came To Be.

When early in May, 1868, General John A. Logan, then Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, issued the order creating a Grand Army Memorial Day—"and it was the proudest act of my life," he wrote later—he called into official being what had already had many a local habitation though no name. How had the custom grown up? What suggested his action to "Our Jack"?

General Chipman used to attribute it to a Cincinnati soldier, who wrote Logan a letter describing the decorating of the soliders' graves in Germany; and General John B. Murray has advanced the claim of a celebration held at Washington, New York, in the May of 1866, as being the incentive for a national memorial day.

This latter story has it that the body of one of the solider sons of the town had been brought up from the south for burial in the little churchyard at home. The grave had been dug beneath an apple tree, and just as the solemn rites were over and the last shovel of earth had been thrown upon the mound, from its low-hanging branches came floating down hundreds of the white petals of its blossoms, as if in honor of the boy who had laid down his life for his country. Among the friends who had gathered there were several of those who had played their parts in that red flame of carnage that had swept Pickett's Division from the field of Gettysburg, and of these, according to General Murray, took the story to General Logan, who found in it the inspiration for his famous order.

A third story told of the origin of the day throws back the date to 1863, and whether by chance or design, to April 13, the anniversary of the fall of Fort Sumter. On that day it is declared, the two little daughters of Chaplain May, of the Second Michigan Infantry, then in camp near Mount Vernon, were gathering wild flowers, when in the course of their wanderings they came suddenly upon one of those rude and unmarked graves, which even in those early days of the great struggle were beginning to appear about Washington. Josephine, the elder of the two, at once suggested that they use their blossoms to cover the bare earth, and while little Ella, aged eight, pulled out the weeds that had begun to push up to the light through the fresh mould, violets and dandelions and daisies were laid here and there in grateful profusion.

Happy over their work, the children planned an excursion for the next day, when more flowers were to be found and more graves decorated, and that evening they told their mother of it. Mrs. May, moved by the significance of the act, as perhaps only a woman could have been moved, even then living in the very heart of the horror and suffering of war, joined them in their mission, a Mrs. Evans, a Red Cross nurse, forming a fourth, and within the week this little band had marked all the graves in walking distance of the camp.

When the next spring came rouud they repeated the custom begun at Mount Vernon, and so with each of the years were noticed, always did others join in their lalor of love, and going out into the world, spread the observance further, till at last—so runs this version of the custom's growth—it had found followers all over the country, General Logan's order merely giving official sanction to the observance.

But the "Decoration Day" of the northern state—May 30th—is not the day which is honored by the majority of the commonwealths which lie to the south of the old Mason and Dixon's line. In Alabama and Florida and Georgia the earlier spring, with its earlier buds and blossoms, has caused the setting of April 26th for this ceremony of reminiscence and patriotism. In Tennessee it falls on May 8th and in the Carolinas two days later. On one date or another, however, every State in the now indivisible Union recalls the men who fell during "the great debate."

Very recent years have added a new feature to Memorial Day—the honoring of the sailor dead, whose far-scattered graves must for al ltime remain unmarked. In 1900, at the suggestion of Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes, a California woman, the school children of Los Angeles gathered at Long Beach to throw upon the water laurel and flowers and tiny flags, while the burial service for those who have died at sea was read. Then the regulation salute of three volleys was fired, as the tribute was borne out to sea on the ebbing tide. —*American Boy.*

Remember the Maine—A Beautiful Tribute to its Noble Dead.

No human speech can add anything to the silent gratitude, the speechless reverence already given by a great and grateful nation to its dead defenders and to their living kin. No act of Congress providing for their needs can make a restitution for their sacrifice. Human nature does, in human ways its best, and still feels deep in debt.

Expressions of condolence have come from every country and from every clime, and every nerve of steel and ocean cable has carried on electric breath the sweetest, tenderest words of sympathy for that gallant crew who manned the Maine. But no human recompense can reach them. Humanity and time remain their everlasting debtors.

It was a brave and strong and splendid crew. They were a part of the blood and bone and sinew of our land. Two of them were from my native State of Iowa. Some were only recently at the United States Naval Academy, where they had so often heard the morning and the evening salutation to the flag, that flag which had been interwoven with the dearest memories of their lives, that colored all their friendships with the lasting blue of true fidelity. But whether they came from naval school or civil life, from one State or another, they called each other comrade—that gem of human language which sometimes means but a little less than love and a little more than friendship, that gentle salutation of the human heart which lives in all the languages of man, that winds and turns and runs through all the joys and sorrows of the human race, through deed and thought and dream, through song and toil and battlefield.

No foe had ever challenged them. The world can never know how brave they were. They never knew defeat; they never shall. While at their posts of duty, sleep lured them into the abyss; then death unlocked their slumbering eyes but for an instant to behold its dreadful carnival, most of them just when life was full of hope, and all its tides were at their highest, grandest flow; just when the early sunbeams were falling on the steeps of fame and flooding all life's landscape far out into the dreamy, distant horizon; just at that age when all the nymphs were making diadems and garlands, waving laurel wreaths before the eyes of young and eager nature—just then, when death seemed most unnatural.

Hovering above the dark waters of that mysterious harbor of Havana, the black-winged vulture watches for the dead, while over it, and over all, there is the eagle's piercing eye sternly watching for the truth.

Whether the appropriation carried by this resolution shall be ultimately charged to fate or to some foe shall soon appear. Meanwhile a patient and a patriotic people, enlightened by the lessons of our history, remembering the woes of war, both to the vanquished and victorious, are ready for the truth and ready for their duty.

"The tumult and the shouting dies—
The captains and the kings depart
Still stands thine ancient sacrifice,
An humble and a contrite heart.
Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget—lest we forget."

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To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
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And not for all the race."

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Rev Chamberlain's Visit to Wheeling, West Virginia.

Trinity Sunday Sunday (May 22) found a very big congregation at St. Elizabeths' Church for the Deaf, attending Holy Communion service administered by the Rev. Dr. John Chamberlain, General Manager of St. Ann's Church for the Deaf, New York City and the Rev. George F. Flick, Missionary of Northwestern District, who came to this city the next day from Pittsburg, Pa., where they took part in the ordination of Mr. Brewster Randall Allabough at St. Stephen's Church, Wilkinsburg, Pa. The service was most interesting and impressive. Mrs. S. W. Corbett, Mrs. John C. Bremer and Mrs. Ella Keener, in graceful signs, rendered two hymns, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Lead, Kindly Light." The white altar was beautifully decorated with flowers, under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Steenrod. Dr. Chamberlain preached a very good and forceful sermon upon St. John 15 : 26.

Among the congregation were Mrs. G. F. Flick, of Chicago, Ill., Mr. Marion Giffen, of St. Clairsville, O., Mr. Frank W. Shaw, of Steubenville, O., Mr. George W. Sine, of Toronto, O., and layreader Frank A. Leitner, of St. Margaret's Mission for the Deaf, Pittsburg, Pa.

On Sunday morning, Dr. Rev. Chamberlain, by invitation of Rev. L. W. S. Stryker, made an address in St. Matthew's Chnrch about the church work among the deaf and also made some signs to illustrate the sign-language.

He conducted a similar service at St. Luke's Church on Wheeling Island in the evening, about twelve deaf-mutes being present.

The minister and Mr. and Mrs. Flick, during their stay, had been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Platoff Zane at Steenrod Place. An elegant Sunday dinner in honor of them was served to a group of silent ones.

The Flicks returned to Pittsburg, Pa., on Sunday evening, while Dr. Chamberlain departed for New York City, Monday morning.

T. C. B.

Moving Picture Fund

The following States have turned over money to me:

Alabama	$ 1 50
California	65 60
Colorado	15 30
Connecticut	10 77
Iowa	27 85
Kansas	81 70
Louisirna	29 35
New Mexico	4 80
Oregon	19 65
South Dakota	39 05
Texas	13 20
Washington	100 00
Total	$ 408 77

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G. W. Veditz, Colorado	$ 5 00
Mrs. G. W. Veditz	5 00
Amiel Fryhofer, Kansas	5 00

O. H. REGENSBURG,
National Treasurer.

VENICE, CAL., April 20, 1910.

Regensburg O. K.

Mr. Oscar H. Regensburg having announced his candidacy for the Secretaryship of the N. A. D., I desire to state that in my judgment he is eminently fitted for that important office.

He not only has the necessary qualifications as to character and as a worker in the cause of the Deaf, but is a business man of considerable experience, and his training along these lines make his election particularly desirable.

This unsolicited endorsement of Mr. Regensburg is based on close acquaintance and personal observation.

L. C. WILLIAMS

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., May 12.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE.

Following Miss Ellis' resignation, which was announced lastt week, arrangements have been made whereby next year her duties will be divided between Miss Peet and Mrs. Schenck, the former having charge of the college girls, while the latter looks after the domestic affairs. A new matron will be secured for the Kendall School boys, relieving Mrs. Schenck of her present duties.

Superintendent A. A. Stuart, President Cameron and the Board of Directors of the Oklahoma School for the Deaf, were here last week. These gentlemen are visiting the various State Schools throughout the country, preparatory to building the new school in Oklahoma.

We have noticed a remarkable thing recently. From additions to the ornamentation of several young men, it would seem that the O. W. L. S. have started a chapter in the college building.

The Literary Society held its farewell meeting of the year last Friday evening. The program consisted of two numbers, the Valedictory and the Response. Mr. Philip R. Schroedel spoke touchingly of the tender relation existing between the Class of '10, and the Society, and on behalf of the class bade farewell to the members; closing with an interesting account of the life of Halley, the astronomer, and his famous comet. The Response was by Mr. Leslie A. Elmer, '11, who chose for his theme "Maritana."

The swimming pool is the mecca for all the faithful just now. Last Thursday night the formal opening was held, attended by Neptus Rex and his numerous retinue. The feature number of the long program—the opening dive, by G. Bieri—was perforce cancelled, as that stubby gentleman was too busy fussing with the steam-heating apparatus to get his duds off in time. The erstwhile leader of the joyosity, Hans Grace, complained of an overindulgence of the bounty of the Commissary Department, and from a safe position on the bank, worked his lanky joints in sympathy with the gay disporters in the pool.

Mrs. Finch, of Olathe, Kansas, visited with her niece, Miss Florence M. Key, Normal, while here in attendance at the World's Convention of Sunday School Workers. She will probably visit in Washington for several weeks.

There is entirely too much moisture enveloping this fair city just now to make life one continuous round of pleasurable excitement.

Archibald Wright, '12, is recovering from an operation performed on one of his feet some time ago, and can now get around on crutches, with as much grace as ever.

ATHLETICS

GALLAUDET, 12; M. A. C., 7.

Gallaudet got back at her old rival, M. A. C., on the home grounds last Wednesday, defeating them gloriously by the handsome score of 12 to 7.

The heavy hitting of the Kendall Green boys featured the game, fifteen safe swats being registered against the visiting pitcher. Of these five were credited to Captain Hower, who hit every time at bat, one of them a triple, another the longest home run ever seen on the Kendall Green athletic field; the ball cleared the running track back of the centre of left field. Rockwell and Morris come high in the hit column, while Arras, Battiste and Birck also contributed to the bingling.

Birck was on the slab for Gallaudet, and pitched a beautiful game, holding the Aggies down to three hits, until the ninth, when he weakened a bit and allowed three more to touch him up. His speed at times was terrific.

The team work, on the whole, was good, the one weak spot being at second base, little Teddy Hughes showing an inability to wedge himself firmly in between Battiste on first and Morris at short. The outfielders did not have a look-in, all the plays being executed within the diamond.

That night the boys celebrated with a bon-fire on the hill back of the Kendall School. Such a glorious light of victory illumined the heavens that Pfunder, who lives out in this part of town, beat all previous records in order to arrive in time to save something before the buildings were consumed.

GALLAUDET 1 MT. ST. JOSEPH'S 6.

In a rather listless game in Baltimore Gallaudet lost to Mt. St. Joseph's by the above score.

The boys blame the umpire for the whole sad business; while inability to hit also contributed to a great extent. Dillon was in charge of the service, and it is confidentially admitted that he was not in the same form as when he previously won his three straight games.

Luck contributed to a great extent since Gallaudet got five hits to her opponents' six.

Only two more games yet remain to be played—St. John's next Saturday, at Annapolis, and a return game with Catholic University on Decoration Day. Manager Talbert is trying to secure a return game with Georgetown, but so far his efforts have not met with success.

T. L. A.

Wanted Volunteers.

To the American Deaf:—Our attention has been called to the list of prizes offered those who have volunteered to work for the Moving Picture project, as published in the JOURNAL, together with a suggestion of President Veditz to open the prize for a free trip to Colorado Springs to EVERYBODY instead of limiting it to ONE person from each State. After due consideration the suggestion has been adopted, and I hereby announce the following readjustment of Prize No. 1.

A free trip to Colorado Springs to include R. R. fare and five days hotel expenses all paid for, is offered to EVERY person in the States on the Atlantic Coast and on the Gulf of Mexico, excepting Texas, including Pennsylvania and West Virginia, who turns over to his State Treasurer before August 1st the sum of $250.

To those living on the Pacific Coast or in Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Wisconsin, Idaho, Texas, $225 each.

To those living in Minnesota, Dakota, Missouri, Arkansas, Montana, $200 each.

To those living in Nebraska, Oklahoma, Utah, Wyoming or New Mexico, $175 each.

Other States not accounted here the amount will be in like proportions, and to net the Fund not less than $150.

State Treasurers will please assist and give publicity to the list of prizes offered. The co-operation of newspapers published in the interests of the deaf is also respectfully solicited. Every collector should learn of it.

I want the support of the American deaf in making this generous prize offer. It is possible that those who never have lifted a finger to help the project, will criticise my course, but similar offers have been made by Young Men's Christian Associations and other philanthropic associations, so there is nothing out of the ordinary with ours. I hope to see many win the free trip offer, but if only one I shall still feel satisfied with the result obtained.

We are anxious to have the Fund completed early, so that the Moving Picture films may be completed early and exhibited all over the country. Negotiations have already been entered with the view of having Dr. Gallaudet to pose before the Moving Picture Camera as soon as his health permits, and to this end Rev. Mr. Whildin is making arrangements with some reliable Eastern Motion Picture concern and will advise the committee of State treasurers of the result. The help and experience of Mr. Pach have also been enlisted. Later on we will have films of half a dozen other notable lecturers made, whose addresses will be varied to suit all tastes. It is hoped to give every school, particularly those who have helped, a chance to see the films, as well as the deaf everywhere. There will be two films to every picture. The original will be preserved for posterity, the other—the positive—will be the film exhibited.

The April reports from State Treasurers will be coming in this week. Unofficial reports show that Oklahoma still leads with about $200. Way down South Louisiana is doing some great stunts. Mr. Barham reports something like $85. If the "Poor South" can make such a respectable showing what can we expect from the North? Many of the States have not been heard from, but this should not be taken as an indication that they are not doing anything. I suspect a number of them are holding trump cards up their sleeves.

Attention is called to the "Roll of Honor" column in the JOURNAL, and reproduced in other papers (papers please copy). I issued a call for 100 volunteers to march to the front, each with an individual contribution of $5 or over. Some have responded quickly, and the rest it is hoped will come forward within thirty days.

Volunteers who desire to enlist, should send their names to Editor Hodgson, Station M, New York City, and send the money ($5 or over) to their respective State Treasurer, or if they are not acquainted with their names and address, to send the money to me and it will be credited to their respective states.

OSCAR H. REGENSBURG.
National Treasurer,

VENICE, CAL., MAY 9, 1910.

P. S. Rev. Michaels of Arkansas, has been appointed General Traveling Representative, with full authority to appoint Collectors wherever his travels may take him. Collectors so appointed may report to him or their State Treasurers. Whatever is sent by Rev. Mr. Michaels will be credited to the state from which it came. State Treasurers will find in Rev. Michaels a helpful man.

The following additions and changes have been made in the list of State Treasurers:

Mississippi: E. M. Rowse, School for Deaf, Jackson, Miss.

Georgia, Irby H. Marchman, 65½ Broad St., Atlanta, Ga.

A State Treasurer for North Carolina is wanted. Will some interested party is this state communicate with me.

PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1538 North Dover Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Under the able guidance of Mr. Samuel Frankenhein, of New York City, and with the help of a stereopticon, the members of the Clerc Literary Association were taken on a trip through Old Mexico on Thursday evening, twelfth of May. The description and pictures of scenes in that old country were most interesting, instruction and entertaining, consuming about two hours. While the quaint old country has many excellent features, the wonder is that, lying so close to this highly civilized country, it is still so far back in civilization. Perhaps the country will get a rude awakening some day when a Roosevelt rises above the horizon. The lecture drew almost a full house and was much appreciated. Mr. Frankenheim was assisted in illustrating the lecture by his friend, Mr. Charles C. McMann, and both were heartily thanked at the close. A small party of New Yorkers came over to the lecture to meet their Philadelphia friends and to see things, staying until Saturday afternoon. They were: Mrs. McMann, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sonneborn, and Mrs. Felix Simonson.

On Friday evening, 13th inst., Mrs. Mary H. Rocap tendered a birthday reception to Dr. John Lewis, a boarder and interested friend of the deaf. Dr. Lewis was not apprised of her intention until the guests had arrived, and thus was pleasantly surprised. A pleasant evening was spent, followed by a bounteous treat of refreshments of a refreshing kind. Besides the hostess and doctor there were present Rev. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dantzer, Mrs. M. J. Syle, Miss Mary E. Taylor, Mrs. Kate Hoopes, Miss Sarah Parry, niece of Mrs. Rocap; Mr. Arthur L. Manning, Mr. H. J. Haight, Mrs. William H. Lipsett, Mr. Lewis Hower, a hearing lady, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reider and daughter, Sarah.

All Souls' Hall was again crowded to its full capacity on Saturday evening, May 14th, when an entertainment and tableaux was given for the benefit of the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf. A large program was carried out, consisting of a juggling act, Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works, tableaux, and a comic dialogue. Following is the programme.

1. The Juggler.....Feinmel and Co.
2. Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works.

Mrs. Jarley.....Miss Helen Bowden
Rip Van Winkle.....Mr. Lipsett
Queen was in the Parlor.....Mrs. V. King
Diogenes.....Mr. Waterhouse
The Deceased Mr. Jarley....Mr. Robertson
John Alden.....Mr. Roy Keeney
Priscilla.....Miss Jeanette King
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.....Mrs. Jennie Smith
Mrs. Allen's Hair Restorer.....Miss Mellie Lynch
Justice.....Miss Margaret Crouse
Liberty.....Miss Edith Dunner
Old Fashioned Sewing Machine.....Mrs. C. O. Dantzer
Simple Simon.....Mr. William Blessings
Tue Vocalist.....Mrs. Viola King
Father Time.....Mr. George F. Sanders
Mrs. Jarley's assistadts, Peter and John, Mr. Rodgers and Mr. Roach.

TABLEAUX

3. Betsy Ross and The Original Flag.
4. Enoch Arden.
5. The Sun-Flowers.
6. The Leap Year Proposal. (A Farce.)

The Committees were Mrs. Syle and Mrs. Rodgers; Mrs. Paul, Mrs. Rigg, and Miss Parker, Chairman.

Much amusement was provided. Miss Helen Bowden in her role as Mrs. Jarley performed her part admirably. She has just come to live here and took the first apportunity to give her services for the benefit of the Home.

Prof. Rowland B. Lloyd, of Trenton, will lecture before the Clerc Literary Association this Thursday evening, May 19th.

The Philadelphia friends of Mr. B. R. Allabough have sent him elaborate and useful presents as remembrances on his ordination to the Diaconate this week. One of presents is a beautiful white gold embroidered stole, valued at twenty dollars; another is a "Vade Mecum," or Clergyman's Companion (book of forms services), the cover being black seal leather, on the inside of which is inscribed in gold letters: "Rev. Brewster R. Allabough from Friends of Philadelphia, May 20th, 1910;" and the other is the money that was contributed but not used, which Mr. Allabough may use to buy books or anything else. Rev. C. O. Dantzer, who will preach the ordination sermon, is the bearer of these gifts and the good wishes of all Philadelphia deaf.

Mr. S. G. Davidson lectured before the Beth Israel Association on Sunday, May 22d. His subject was "The Power of Thought." The Association will have an ice cream festival on Sunday afternoon, 29th inst., when a small sum of money will be charged for refreshments. The final meeting of the term will be held on first Sunday, in June, and it will be a business meeting.

Miss Eliza Loughridge, of Catasauqua, and Mr. Jonathan Haney, of Bethlehem, were among our visitors over Sunday.

Several friends called on Mrs. Ann P. Coulter on Sunday evening, 15th, to congratulate her on her seventy-third birthday. Although her health is not as good as it looks, she chatted pleasantly and seemed to enjoy the company. The callers were Mrs. M. J. Syle, Mrs. Mary H. Rocap, Mrs. Hartley, Mrs. C. O. Dantzer, Mrs. H. J. Haight, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas S. Reider.

Rev. Mr. Dantzer held a service in Wilmington, Del., on Sunday evening last.

Mr. R. E. Underwood was confined to the house with tonsilitis for a few days last week. Lotta, his eldest daughter, was also sick with the mumps.

The long anticipated lecture by Mrs. Mills, who conducts the Chefoo School for the Deaf in China, was given at all Souls' Hall on Sunday afternoon, 15th. The hall was crowded to the doors. Five young ladies first rendered a hymn in concert, and Mrs. Mills followed. The lecture, which was illustrated by a stereopticon, was intensely interesting. A silver offering was taken and it amounted to over seventeen dollars. Several teachers from Mt. Airy attended the lecture.

SPEAR POINTS

It has become my duty, in serving what I understand to be the best interests of the N. A. D., to announce that I can no longer support Mr. Olaf Hanson for President of the Association. Further, I desire to say that I will support Mr. P. L. Axling for President and Mr. J. H. Cloud for Secretary.

I do this for two reasons. First, Mr. Hanson is not in sympathy with the Spear plan for re-organizing the Association, which plan is based solely on individual membership. Second, Mr. Hanson professes to favor an organization based on individual membership, but proposes and advocates a "plan" of his own, which plan is based on federation—federation in its weakest and worst form. I cannot support for President a man who professes to believe in the principles I advocate and yet upholds federation—a man who, on an important question like this, cannot or will not stand squarely before the people, but who attempts to dodge and straddle. In withdrawing from Mr. Hanson, however, I do so in the best of feeling towards him and without prejudice or ill-will.

Messers. Axling and Cloud are in full sympathy with the Spear plan. They stand squarely before the people as favoring individual membership and the principles embodied in the Spear plan. In giving my support to them, I am but acting on business principles, the same principles that move us to oppose oralism or the appointment of inexperienced men at the head of our schools. I am but trying to introduce in N. A. D. affairs the same methods a business concern would use in its private business—namely, not putting a man at the head of a department who is not fully qualified to produce the best results. I am assuming that the Association is to be organized as a business body to uphold the rights of the deaf, and not merely to afford office for our friends however much we may wish to advance their interests. I do not doubt Mr. Hanson's ability, or that he is well known and highly esteemed, but he is advocating federation and yet pretending to oppose federation. He is not in accord with the Spear plan, and, therefore, he is not the best man to carry forward the provisions of that plan. Axling and Cloud are squarely opposed to federation and in full accord with the Spear plan. They are, in my judgment, the men best qualified to carry out the plan.

Mr. Hanson professes his "plan" is not a federation plan, but he either does not understand his own plan or he is trying to fool some one. His plan provides:—

"Members not able to attend conventions will have a voice in the affairs of the Association through representatives elected by each organization."

"The votes of each organization shall be cast as a unit and cannot be divided."

"The proxies voted by any delegate must be cast as a unit and cannot be divided."

"Any club having ten or more members in the N. A. D. may take part in the proceedings as above outlined."

This is federation. Think it over. It is federation without laws, weak and unstable and sooner or later would plunge our State and Local Associations into discord, disagreement and destruction. Think it over. Do you want that brand of federation? Minneapolis does not.

Is there any one who thinks an Association can be based on individual membership, and yet the individual members thereof *denied* the right to cast their votes as they choose, as individuals?

Is there anyone who thinks an Association may be based on individual membership and yet the members thereof *compelled* to form a "club of ten or more members" and elect a delegate in order that their votes may be cast?

Is there anyone who thinks an Association may be based on individual membership and yet the individual members thereof *denied* the right to vote unless they from a "club of ten or more members" and are then compelled to cast their votes as a unit?

Oh, I know the reply some will make—namely, that they may vote by mail. But that is no answer and *destroys* the whole contention of Hanson's plan, and nullifies his whole scheme for building up the Association through Local and State Organizations. The point aimed at is a "club of ten or more members" I repeat, that's federation—federation that will bring disaster to our State and Local Associations.

The Spear plan gives every member the right to vote, no matter whether he be present or not, and the right to exercise his own individual choice in casting his vote. The Spear plan is the only plan before the public based on individual membership. A plan that holds forth inducements to become members and affords scope for growth and without introducing elements of discord and contention.

Messrs. Axling and Cloud are in full sympathy with that plan, and therefore, I support them for office.

A. R. SPEAR.

THE INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT AT THE WORLD'S CONGRESS OF THE DEAF.

A FINAL APPEAL.

There will no doubt be many sides of interest and usefulness about the World's Congress to meet at Colorado Springs this summer, but nothing will be of more far-reaching consequence than the Iudustrial Exhibit. The information of this exhibit among Representatives and Senators in Congress is apparently being made the basis for the granting of that $5,000 to the National Association by transferring the bill to the Committee on Expositions. So the association should certainly have something to show that it is deserving of the money. But the main point in securing as large and varied an exhibit as possible is the great help it will be to the deaf, not only of this country, but of the whole world in general.

Some have already done splendidly, but there are hundreds who might do just as well if not better. This exhibit can be made the largest and most varied of its kind that the world has ever seen, and therefore, one of the best proofs of the ability and skill of the deaf it is possible to secure. There is in some quarters an idea that exhibitors must give up their exhibits. This is a mistake. All exhibits will be returned to the exhibitors in good condition if they so desire. Others seem to think that a small exhibit is not worth sending. This is another great mistake. No matter how small, send it along. As the saying is, "Every pea helps to fill the peck," so every little exhibit will make the final display still larger, more complete, more varied, and more interesting. The California State Association is urging its members to send exhibits from that State and has appointed a committee to look after the exhibits. Other States might follow the example of California; but whether they do or not, the officers, particularly the secretaries of the various State associations might assist the Bureau of Industrial Statistics in locating possible exhibitors and urge them to do something.

Copies of this appeal are being sent to every school paper, *The Silent Success*, *The Northwestern Observer*, The DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, and *The American Industrial Journal*, with the request that they once more help in this matter. A post-card addressed to the undersigned will bring all needed information.

WARREN ROBINSON, *Director,*
Bureau of Industrial Statistics.
DELAVAN, WIS.

DENVER, COL.

T. V. Northern, '02 of Gallaudet College, and Miss Edna Drumm, ex-'06 of the same college, were knotted at the residence of the bride's father, a prominent citizen, 1493 Clayton Street, on the eleventh of this month, by Rev. D. F. Schmidt, a hearing pastor of this city. The groom fell in love with her at sight seven years ago when he secured a position from his native town in Kentucky. The couple were thinking they would be too shrewd for the friends by marrying to their surprise, and also by slipping out the city quietly, but the crowd was too much for them. They proposed to leave this city immediately after the wedding, but the crowd was there unexpectedly, so the couple decided to stay in town till the morning. In fact, they ordered a taxicab secretly and it was at Elizabeth Street, a block from her residence, but the friends knew of it to the couple's surprise. They ran and got into the taxicab and requested the driver to drive as fast as he could, but they were forced to conceal the proposed night trip on account of a crowd of their friends at the depot. Then they went to the Hotel "Albany" as fast as the taxicab with a big card on its rear "Just Married," could bring them. They registered at the hotel under the name of J. B. Thomas and wife, in order not to enable the friends to locate them. When they entered the hotel they caused a commotion among the guests in the lobby, as their suitcases were painted in large letters "just married" and "take good care of us." His hat he left on the table in the lobby was taken and hidden and after he could not find it, Jim Tuskey, (best man) proceeded to his residence to procure an old hat which was too small for the groom and "trampy," but anyhow he accepted it. While writing on a pad, the hat fell down several times, causing a hearty laugh among the crowd. The following morning the couple depated for Colorado Springs for a short honeymoon and then went to reside in Rocky Ford, where the groom is a chemist and has a fine fruit ranch. We wish them a happy married life forever. We miss the bride very much, as she used to be an active member of our deaf association. A few days after this wedding Mr. Jimmy Tuskey went back to Brush, Col., where he is a first-class painter.

On the 14th of this month, the Deaf Bible Class is to have an ice-cream festival at Mrs. Dixon's residence, thewriter thinks, to mark the closing of the term.

Mrs. Reid is coming back home soon from Fort Collins, where she has been enjoying her several weeks' visit to her aged mother.

Mr. Lessley expects to take a trip to his native town, by the way of Moffat R. R., in a week, to do "baiting" for two weeks or so.

With much regret the writer learned of the death of his old teacher, Mr. Kirkhuff, of Mt. Airy, Pa., recently. May he rest peacefully.

Ye scribe is still expecting to see a big crowd of mutes representing Pennsylvania at the National Association for the Deaf in August. Come one and all. The larger the crowd, the jollier.

Last month, the writer was enjoying a week's visit in Colorado Springs, and thinks well of the Institution for the Deaf and also of the fancy poultry of Mr. Veditz.

The election of the Deaf Bible Class took place on Sunday, May 8th, and resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Dixon (re-elected); Teacher, Mr. Reid (re-elected) and Assistant Teacher, Mr. Kent. The Bible Class has been doing nicely.

Some people of this place have been trying to make Denver become anti-saloon territory. Safe bet that this city will go still wet after next Tuesday's election.

KEYSTONE WRITER.

Altoona.

The mutes of this place held the first literary society a few months ago through Mr. Chas. Hewitt's efforts, and they have been holding a regular meeting ever since.

Congratulations to Mr. Hewitt for his efforts and success.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, of Chicago, moved to Altoona, where the former got a good job in the P. R. R. shops.

On Saturday evening, April 2d, a literary society, of which David Singerman is a member, gathered at his home for one of their meetings, but when all the members were present, one of their number made the announcement that, instead of a society meeting, it was going to be a surprise party, and they promptly showered their host with handkerchiefs. The young man's parents presented him with a costly horse-shoe scarf pin.

Games and music were enjoyed and a delicious luncheon was served.

On the morning of April 12th, Mrs. Roland Barker, of Johnstown, and Mrs. Collins Sawhill, of Braddock, Pa., made a surprise visit to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Saunders, of Gallitzin, Pa. In the evening, Mrs. Barker went home and left Mrs. Sawhill with the Saunders. Mrs. Saunders took the lady to Altoona, visited some mutes and showed her some wonderful mountains and the famous Horse Shoe Curve. Mrs. Sawhill went to Johnstown again after spending four days at Gallitzin.

A comet party was given to all the mutes of this place, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Saylor, on the 14th inst. Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served.

David Singerman, of Altoona, made a flying visit to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Saunders, of Gallitzin, last Sunday.

A big picnic will be held near Fairview Cemetery, in Altoona, on Memorial Day. Those who live out, of this place are all welcome there.

Mr. Joseph Campbell, of Perulack, Juniata Co., Pa., is stopping at Altoona, Gallitzin and Johnstown, to see his friends, and will go to Pittsburg to visit his sister.

Mr. Geo. C. Saunders joined Captain David Mills Camp No. 293, Sons of Veterans last February, and will have to take part in the parade on Memorial Day.

E. G. S.

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NEW YORK.

News items for this column, should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL Station M, New York.
A few words of information in a letter or on a postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

The Hebrew Congregation of the Deaf gave a pleasing and amusing function entitled "Funniest Dress Party and Games," in the Vestry Room of Temple Beth Israel Bikur Cholim, 72d Street and Lexington Avenue, last Saturday evening. Quite a large gathering was on hand to participate in the evening's pleasure. Promptly at eight-thirty, the seekers of pleasure began flocking in one by one until up to a little after an hour later, and as far as the writer can figure, there must have been something like a hundred present. At nine-thirty the games commenced, and the first game encountered by the pleasure-seekers was a candle-blowing-out game, in which ladies only participated. This game proved quite a relief to lung-testing, the competitors each trying their best to blow out the candles blind-folded with all the wind they could procure. The one that proved more capable of such skill was Mrs. Samuel Bramson, and was awarded a prize of a handsome picture for her incomparable skill.

Following was a Blubber-bursting game, the rules being that the contestant blind-folded and walk straight to the blubber, which hangs on a string about ten feet distant, and with a pin in one hand, should have one chance to burst the Blubber. This proved a pretty hard task, but the winners were Miss Goldie Rubin, who carried off a sewing box, and Mr. A. Ginzler, who won a silver ash tray.

The only funniest dress competitors were Mr. Hymans and Miss Taube, the former carrying off a wallet, and the later a silver napkin ring. But the most amusing game of the rest was a blocking and sewing game for men only. Each man was given some patterns cut up and prepared by the inventors of the game, Mrs. A. Cohn, Mrs. Samuel Bramson and Miss Annie Bernhardt, the latter of whom the patterns were made, and they gave instructions that the cut up patterns be blocked together and sewed up in no more than five minutes. It was a pity to see several men trying to get the thread into "such a small hole," and their nervous hands being wounded by the instruments they were hardly familiar with, but kind words by the ladies, who helped see that they got along smoothly, consoled a few of them, the majority having given up the first time they got "stung" by the needle. Mr. Theodore Rose, whose occupation is hardly agreeable with this kind, being a confirmed bachelor, found very little difficulty in undertaking this task, and the judges aforementioned declared him winner. He happily carried off a silver ash tray with a design of Grant's Tomb engraved upon it.

In the vicissitudes of a drawing, Mr. Moses W. Loew, the president of the organization, luckily won a handsome pig-skin handbag.

Refreshments then were brought in and consisted of delicious lemonade and cake, and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing up to a little after eleven.

The credit for the occasion is due to the committee, Messrs. Henry Plapinger (Chairman), Arnold A. Cohen and J. Seandel, for the splendid management.

The press agent of the Del'Epee Society was on a vacation and the counter attractions of a gala affair at St. Joseph Institute, Westchester, and the meeting of the young ladies' Sodality at the Mount, in Brooklyn, caused a very small-sized gathering to welcome Rev. Father McCarthy, last Sunday, on his monthly visit to Brooklyn, in the Knights of Columbus Institute, where the De l'Epee Society assemble for their deliberations. The meeting of the latter was a lively one, while it lasted. President Fogarty presided and conducted the affairs of office satisfactorily. Miss Morris also added a peg to her record for efficiency as secretary, albeit the meeting had to wait her convenience in arriving a little beyond the prescribed time. Father McCarthy made a few announcements, and called attention to the illness of several Brooklyn deaf-mutes, the response thereto by the society being a liberal donation to aid the parties mentioned. After the reports of committees had been heard, the fixture for the closing meeting in June was announced. It is to include a real debate for and against Woman Suffrage. Mr. J. F. O'Brien was then asked to the platform, and for the following three-quarters of an hour entertained the meeting with s recital of Poe's weird story "The Gold Bug." Being accorded close attention, it is safe to say his delivery was appreciated.

Peter Butterly came within an ace of disposing of his Jericho ranch lately. All the preliminaries progressed to the satisfaction of both owner and prospective buyer, until the stipulation of the former calling for a cash payment caused the investor to bolt, his offer being part cash and balance on mortgage. Farmer Butterly will likely spend the summer in that haven for auto-speeders, the roads about Jericho being specially slick for those time-killers.

They tell me the Xavier Club's Strawberry Committee are preparing a particularly attractive seance for the coming festival in the middle of June. At about that time the berries are said to be at their best. Tom Grogan, not to be behind the fashion in anything he undertakes, intimates the gathering will be, in size and tone, up to the usual Xavier standard and very classy. Just what new movelty the committee have in store for the guests remains a mystery.

Ephpheta Sunday falls this year on July 31. Following its annual custom the Xavier Ephpheta Society will attend Mass in a body, and invite all the Catholic deaf to join them this year. It may not be amiss to say this annual custom of observing Deaf-Mute Day instituted by Rev. M. R. McCarthy some six years ago, has been profitably copied by Catholic congregations of the deaf the world over.

The coming celebration in this city may mark an enthusiastic agitation for a Church for the Catholic deaf exclusively in New York. Father McCarthy hopes the day is not far distant when that realization will be a verity, and there are not a few among the wealthy friends of the Catholic deaf who are more than favorable to the project.

Another plan being agitated among many of the Catholic deaf hereabouts is the establishing of a Home for aged and worthy deaf mutes, under Catholic control. The agitation at present is in its first steps. Opinion is divided whether the proposed shelter shall be for women, to the exclusion of the opposite sex, or *vice versa*. However, the movement has many supporters, and the day may not be far distant when the Catholic deaf will have a haven for the aged and helpless of their faith.

An interesting bit of news was received by Mr. Frankenheim from his sister, Mrs. Johnna Katz, in China with a large party, in a letter about a deaf-mute gentleman by the name of Hart W. Whitmore, of La Porte, Indiana. Mr. Whitmore travelled with his mother in this around-the-world trip and when in China, the large party of Americans was obliged to preserve a very quiet mien on account of the Chinese hostility toward all foreigners, and while there, Mr. Whitmore somehow separated himself from his friends and soon got lost. Confused and not understanding the native tongue and unable to make himself understood, he displayed a large roll of money in the silent hope of being sent to his friends before the covetous almond-eyed Mongolians. He was followed, waylaid, robbed and left helpless. Happily, an Englishman happened along and rescued him and delivered him to his mother. Mr. Whitmore will attend the Convention of the National Association of the Deaf, at Colorado Springs, this summer.

In a drawing for an autographed copy of a book on "Labor in Europe and America," by Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, at the Union Label Fair, in Labor Temple, Brooklyn, N. Y., last Wednesday, the 18th, Mr. Samuel Cohen was the lucky winner of the valuable volume.

Mr. and Mrs M. Seelig wish to announce to their friends the marriage of their daughter, Lena, which took place at the Bertuch, 222 West 135th Street, on Sunday, May 15th. The couple went to Atlantic City on their Honeymoon.

Mr. Max M. Lubin, who has been appointed as Assistant Leader of the Hebrew Congregation of the Deaf, will conduct services this Friday evening, in the Vestry Rooms of the Temple Emanu-El, 42d Street and Fifth Avenue. All are welcome.

Last Saturday, Mr. R. Grutzmacher and Charles Donus, the famous German wrestler, were guests of Mr. S. Nibler, the President of the German Deaf-Mutes' Society, of New York.

Mr. R. Grutzmacher, the Deaf-Mute Artistic Engraver from Berlin, who recently arrived on the Steamer "General Grant," has got a steady job, with good salary, through Mr. William Lipgens.

A baby-boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes, Monday night, May 16th. Mrs. Holmes and the baby are getting along nicely.

If Mrs. A. E. Flannagan will send her address to the JOURNAL office a letter will be forwarded to her.

P. E. Diocese of Connecticut.

Rev. G. H. Hefflon, Minister in charge.

Hartford—First and Third Sunday, monthly, 234 Pearl Street, at 4 P.M.

Bridgeport—Every Third Sunday, 7:30 P.M., St. Paul's Church Parish House.

New Haven—Every Second and Fourth Sunday, St. Paul's Church, 3 P.M.

Waterbury—Every Second and Fourth Sunday, St. John's Church, 7.30 P.M.

At other places by appointment. Address of pastor, Y. M. C. A., Hartford, Ct

HARTFORD.

The closing meeting for the term of the Cogswell Literary Society of Hartford, Ct., was a triumph of literary euthusiasm with Rev. George H. Hefflon as the moving spirit.

The room in which the meeting was held is the Sunday School room of Christ Church, and is a commodious, well-lighted and comfortable one, and on this occasion was decorated with extremely good taste. At the head, flanked on each side by the flags of the United States and Great Britain was a banneret of blue with the initials C. L. S. in white thereon. From the center of the room streamers of vari-colored crepe paper were stretched, forming a canopy of color that delighted the eye and reflected credit upon the one who devised the decoration.

Between forty and fifty persons were present, including Dr. Williams, Principal of the Hartford School, Profs. Abel Clark (and Mrs. Clark), Stone, Wm. H. Weeks, John E. Crane and Miss Emma Atkinson, teachers at "Old Hartford."

President Lawrence Crowley of the Cogswell Literary Society opened the proceedings with a few words relating to the organization, and then introduced Dr. Willams, who discoursed on the topic "Is Life Worth Living," affirming that it is provided one lives properly. He then told how life should be lived, what one should do and read in order to benefit himself and his community.

Prof. Stone followed with a dissertation upon "Charactor," that was delivered in lucid signs and replete with instruction and interest.

Prof. Crane delivered in most graphic signs two scriptural stories —one of the lost lamb, and the other "Christ Stilling the Tempest."

Mr. E. A. Hodgson then occupied the stand for about half an hour, talking upon his impressious concering the "birthplace of education of the deaf in America," Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet, Clerc and the early teachers, and how the deaf of New England had made good in the world, and the evidences in memorials and presentations of their love and appreciation of those who had given them the boon of education. He spoke of the broad educational system in the New York Institution and also upon the adult deaf of New York and other States.

This ended the speechmaking and introduced an unheralded surprise. Rev. Mr. Hefflon was called forward and catechised concerning his work in the different cities and towns of Connecticut. He was told that his work was self-sacrificing and useful and good. He was reminded that Waterbury had shown its appreciation in a recent testimonial presented him, and that Hartford would not allow any city to beat it in that line. Thereupon a large package was handed him, which on being uncovered disclosed a handsome Russia leather traveling bag.

The reverend gentleman was too much surprised and overwhelmed by the unexpected gift to make reply other than that he felt grateful to have his work appreciated, and thanked them for the present.

A collation of ice cream and cake followed, during which a pleasant half-hour of social intercourse was enjoyed, and then good-byes were said and all dispersed for home, sweet home.

Some of those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Barrows, Mrs. Slocum, Mrs. Slate, Miss Pease, Mr. F. Bonvouloir, Mr. St. John, Mr. Mottram, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Dermody, Mr. Marks, Mrs. Nevens, Miss Meier (Matron), Miss Drew, Miss Lyons, Miss Ella Pfurr, Mr. Eugene Oxley.

The officers of the Cogswell Literary Society are: President, Mr. Lawrence Crowley; Vice-President, Miss Mabel Hall; Secretary, Mr. Edgar C. Luther.

Miss Mamie Oxley, who is with Mrs. Chas. Dougherty as companion, is visiting at her sister's, Mrs. L. O. Blanchard, west of Hartford. Mrs. Dougherty is in Guildford, Ct.

Walter C. Rockwell, Hartford school, '09, seems to be making good as a ball player down at Washington, D. C. He is catcher for the Gallaudet College baseball nine.

Some twenty-five of the pupils at the school were confirmed at St. Joseph's Cathedral, Sunday, May 8th by Bishop Nilan, of Hartford.

Mr. E. A. Hodgson, of New York, was in Hartford for a social gathering of the deaf, Friday evening, May 20th. Saturday morning he visited the school, returning to New York on a noon train. Mr. Hodgson's knowledge of the deaf, their past history in this country, their present leaders and a host of others besides is something at which to wonder.

The Episcopal Church services for the deaf in Hartford will be held hereafter at Christ Church, Main and Church Streets, beginning June 5th, at 4 P.M.

Morris J. Marks plans to leave for New York City, May 28th, where he will visit relatives for two or three days.

As this is his first visit to New York since his graduation from Fanwood, some dozen or more years ago, he looks forward to the visit as a great treat, hoping to meet old friends and schoolmates. Mr. Morris moved from Cleveland, Ohio, to Hartford about two years ago. His wife is also a former Fanwood pupil, and they have three bright children. He is a member of one of the Hartford painters' union and is an expert workman.

The ordination service, as appointed in New Haven, and at which Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, of St. Ann's Church, New York City, was to have assisted, has been postponed by Bishop Brewster, on account of the illness of one of the young men, who was to be ordered. It will take place possibly in June.

Sunday of May 1st, several from Derby were in New Haven, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reiger, 74 Bristol Street. Moses Changnon and sister, Mary Changnon and J. W. Costa. In afternoon, Alfred Slevinson, Miss Fannie McQueeney and Bartram Leeper joined them, and all went out to Springside Home (city almshouse), and surprised Hattie Baldwin, who is there in poor health. From Springside a walk was taken up West Rock, thence back to the city. A pleasant afternoon tramp of some ten a twelve miles ending with a bounteous luncheon at the Reigers home afterwards.

The deaf who saw Miss Baldwin expressed much sympathy for her, and wish she could be sent to some home for the deaf. She has become somewhat childish minded, but otherwise is a quite harmless person. The clothes she wears, and those of others of the women folks in her ward, would almost disgrace a scarecrow. Cannot the wealthy city of New Haven afford to clothe its feeble and dependent poor women folks decently? One wonders some about this.

The boys at the school played their third ball game of the season on the school ground Saturday, May 21st, with an opposing nine called the Crescent. The deaf boys were beaten 5 to 7 runs. They played well in the field, but their stick work was weak. Sullivan pitched a good game striking out eleven men and nearly breaking the bones of two others whom he hit with wild pitches. He throws a very swift ball, and with more curves and better control would be a terror. The playing of Cossette as catcher was great for so small a lad, taking all of those fast ones right under the bat hardly dropping one the entire game, and by running around the back stop to catch a high hit foul ball. His throwing to second base was not quick enough to catch a lame hen, but he has the making of a good catcher when he gets older and has more arm. H.

NEW JERSEY.

Mrs C. B. Robertson, wife of R. M. Robertson, of Kearney, N. J., and their daughter, are going to sail for Scotland, on June 4th, and stay there until the end of September, when they come back. She has been in this country for eight years.

Mr. John Black, President of New Jersey Deaf-Mutes' Society, has bought a fine canoe recently and will use it all summer in Passaic River between Paterson and Morristown, N. J., which is really charming. He will invite his friends for a sail.

There are seven members of National Fraternal Society of the Deaf living in Newark, N. J. It seems that they prefer their membership with Brooklyn, No. 23, than to have their own in Newark, N. J.

CHICAGO.

Reports from Jacksonville, where the play "Pipps and Paulson," which is to be produced at Hull House, June 10th, for the benefit of the Home Fund, is in active rehearsal, are to the effect that it is bound to be an artistic success. The cast has been definitely chosen. It will please the old-time friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. George to know that they have prominent places in the cast. Mr. Tilton and Misses Nessel, Kerney and Gabler, have roles somewhat similar to those they assumed in "Out of Town." The new play is said to be fully as amusing, yet much stronger than "Out of Town." Best of all, the author, Mrs. Palmer, has promised to be present the night of the play. It indeed promises to be a gala night for the Chicago deaf. It is expected that parties from far away as Springfield will be present. Success seems assured. Come one, come all! Tickets, 25 cents a person, can be purchased through Mrs. F. Carpenter. W.

Baltimore Methodist Deaf-Mute Mission.

Rev. D. E. Moylan, *Pastor*, 740 W. Fayette Street.

Services at Eutaw Street M. E. Church, every Sunday, at 3:30 P.M.

Sunday School, at 2:30 P.M.

Week day meetings every Thursday evening, at 8 P.M., in the lecture room. (Except during July and August.)

Holy Communion, first Sunday each month. Everybody welcome.

OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.

MAY 21, '10—The reception and banquet in honor of the Class of 1910 was given Wednesday evening at the school and was participated in by the trustees, officers, and teachers, class, and such of the parents and friends of the class as had come to be in attendance at the commencement exercises. The B Center was marked with a fine display of ferns and the arch leading to the dining-room was dropped with snow ball branches.

The reception beginning shortly before eight o'clock, was given in the library, the trustees and class standing in the receiving line and Superintendent Jones doing the introducing. At its conclusion the party proceeded to the dining-room and partook of the following *menu* after Dr. Patterson had offered Grace.

Bouillon and Wafers
Fricasseed Chicken — New Potatoes
Peas — Hot Rolls
Tomato — Lettuce — Radishes
Olives — Salted Almonds
Pickles — Chesse
Strawberries — Ice cream — Cake
Coffee

Flowers—roses and carnations—graced each table. An hour or more was consumed after which Superintendent Jones introduced Rev. Joseph A. Bennet, who made a humorous address in which Halley's comet came in for a good share of ridicule. At its conclusion adjournment was made to the B Center, where social talk was indulged in for a time.

Thursday evening, on the occasion of the commencement exercises, an audience, which filled the chapel to its seating capacity, greeted the class as it entered and took seats upon the stage.

The figures "10" in red electric bulbs decorated the proscenium and underneath the class motto in white and blue, "To the best of my ability."

The lady members of the Class were all dressed in white, and each carried a boquet of flowers. There were two interpreters, Miss May Greener and Mr. Odehrecht, the former doing service for the class, the other for the audience.

In opening the exercises, Superintendent Jones spoke of the Class's size and attainments, this year's counting those of the intermediate department being larger than that of last year.

The following programme was then presented. Of the class only the salutatorian and valedictorian speaking.

INVOCATION—Rev. Joseph T. Britan, Pastor of Central Presbyterian Church.
Salutatory, with Oration—"The Connection Between Streams and Forests," Noami E. Miller.
Essay—"How Science Helps the Home," George H. Homrighausen, Jr.
Essay—"The Mission of Flowers," George F. Goll, Jr.
Essay—"The Advance of American Forestry," Charles H. Fry.
Essay—"The Uplifting Influence of Outdoor Life," Leo. D. Frater.
Essay—"The Progress of Civilization," Adelbert Watters.
Essay—"Spain's Economic Revival," Ralph W. Harrington.
Essay—"The Vast Riches of Alaska," Elsie Lang.
Essay—"Our Wealth in Desert and Swamp," Clara Bussey.
Essay—"The New Regime in China," Alda Davis.
Essay,—"Finding a life Work," Irene Krouse.
Oration with Valedictory,—"The National Government and the Pacific Highways," Arthur Wenner.
Annual Address,—Mr. J. W. Smith, Attorney, Ottawa, Ohio.
Presentation of Diplomas,—Hon. W. A. Gipson, President of Board of Trustee.
Benediction,—Rev. Joseph T. Britan.

Mr. J. W. Smith. who delivered the Annual Address was an early worker with Superintendent Jones and in his peroration paid him a high compliment, saying that the State was indeed fortunate to have him Superintendent of this school, where he was doing a grand work. His address delivered without notes was one of the best yet delivered at the commencement exercises here, and he was heartily applauded at its close.

Hon. W. A. Gipson, President of the Board of Trustees, who has been a member for the past twenty years, on presenting the class with its diplomas made a sharp and feeling address, congratulating the members of the class upon the close of their school life, and wished them success in whatever honorable avocation they took up after leaving here.

After the benediction was pronounced friends came upon the stage and extended congratulations. The parents of nearly all were present and some of the members were well remembered with gifts, one, Miss Miller can start a good bank account, having received a check from a Texas relative for five hundred dollars.

Following are the graduates of the Intermediate Department:—Pearl E. LeCrone, Columbus, Franklin County; Eva A. Matthews, Columbus, Franklin County; Hugh A. Wright, Mt. Gilead, Morrow County; Harry W. Hahn, Piqua, Miami County; John W Bostwick, Pataskala, Licking County.

Appropriate to the class colors the program was printed in blue, upon white paper.

Miss Albertha Hannaford, of Toledo, came down to attend commencement exercises and will remain a couple of weeks as guest of Mrs. Jones.

Miss Vera Hoskinson, of Montepelier, remained over to see the Class of '10 go through Commencement exercises. She graduated last year. Her home is up in Williams County in the northwestern corner of the State. Her father is postmaster of the town, containing about 4,000 people.

The Ringling Bros. show was in town Wednesday, and the school was dismissed at ten o'clock that morning to permit the pupils to see the parade. This was a fine one. Camels and elephants were numerous, and of the latter, one was exceptionally large. Pupils wondered if ex-president Roosevelt killed any of that size.

Mrs. Nanda Newman Redington showed up at the Commencement exercises. This was the first time we have seen her since she left school ten or more years ago. She and her husband now reside in Springfield, Ohio, where he is employed as a carpenter. His former home was at N. Amherst, Ohio. He is spoken of as being particularly efficient at his trade. Mrs Redington went up to the Home Thursday to look after the needs of the Springfield room, which the Aid Society has in charge.

Miss Delight Rice left yesterday for Manila, P. I., to resume charge of her school. We are informed that her father accompanied her, and if he finds the place to his liking will bid good-bye for good to Ohio and send for his wife.

Jesse W. Stafford, educated in the Virginia School, was a visitor here this week. He has been working in Piqua and is on his way home.

Through the lecture of Miss Delight Rice, Saturday evening, the Home was benefitted $3.95, being one-fourth of the proceeds.

Messrs. Mayer and Neutzling went up to the Home, Saturday noon, and put in a half day painting the men's cottage. Later, they will go again and put on the finishing touches. During the same afternoon Messrs. Greener and Schory made purchases of wall paper for the cottage rooms and assembly room.

Michael Brown, a Russian, but educated in Vienna, Austria, is working for the Columbus Dry Goods Co., as a ladies' tailor. He formerly worked in Pittsburg, Pa.

Thursday afternoon, the First Independents crossed bats with the St. Patrick Club, and came out at the tail end, 9 to 0.

The following Clevelanders were visitors here, Sunday: Misses Hlebak and Lunceford and Messrs. McKibben, Faulhaber, Meade, Wagner and Fark. Messrs. Schulte and Herbert were up from Cincinnati.

A new flag was floated from the flagstaff of the main tower, Tuesday. It takes from three to four flags a year to keep Old Glory up, and the cost is about $7.25 for each. That is what the last one cost the State Patriotism, or to show it, takes in a great deal of Uncle Sam's money when taken in the aggregate. A. B. G.

MUTE WOMAN SEEKS HUSBAND.

Declaring that she came to the city to search for her husband, whom she asserts deserted her for another woman, Mrs. Alice Sands, 27 years old, of No. 147 Lendon street, Elizabeth, N. J., who the police say is deaf and dumb, is being detained at the Central Station until her story can be verified

The woman was seen last night wandering aimlessly about the streets and she was taken into custody at Eighth and Lombard streets by a policeman. When the woman was questioned at the Central Station this morning she wrote on a piece of paper that she was on her way to a New Jersey town to look for her husband. She also informed the police that her father lived at the Elizabeth address Captain of Detectives Souder sent a telegram to the woman's father, and is awaiting a reply. Mrs. Sands will be detained until the reply is received.—*Phila. Inquirer, May 21.*

For Treasurer of the N. A. D.

EDITOR DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL:—To date no one has motioned for the nomination of a competent person to run for the office of Treasurer of the National Association of the Deaf, at Colorado Springs, next August.

As a member of the Association I hereby respectfully motion for the formal nomination of Mr. Frank Ross Gray, of Alleghany, Pa., for the position of Treasurer.

Mr. Gray, I know to be a thoroughly reliable and competent gentleman and will prove himself in every way worthy of the trust.

I hope this motion will be heartily seconded and Mr. Gray will accept the honor thus conferred upon him.

In accepting, it will complete the chain of a handsome set—four very best men.

"Skoal for Olof
Rah for Reggy
Whoop for Gray!"

GERTRUDE E. M. NELSON,
Member Endowment Com. N. A. D.
BUFFALO, May 21, 1910.

ST. LOUIS.

J. H. May,—5851 Von Versen Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

The euchre "lid" has been removed, so local mutes can again arrange for enchre games, without fear of violating any law of the City or State.

Mr. E. Harden, of Clifton Heights, is in luck nowadays. At the American Tobacco factory, in Tower Grove, where he has been working for some time, he has been promoted to a better job with increased pay.

Last Sunday afternoon, ye scribe visited the Art Museum in Forest Park, and among the many objects I noticed, was the bronze statue representing, "The baseball player," No. 362. Underneath were the words: "Dedicated by the American artist, Douglas Tilden."

We have no doubt that the above statue was dedicated by Mr. Douglas Tilden, of California, some years ago, and has been seen by many well-known mutes in the land. The statue is a fine specimen of art work, and it reflects great credit on Tilden's ability as an artist and sculptor. The statue represents the perfect form of a baseball pitcher ready to pitch the leather sphere to the batter on the diamond green.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stiglemann are nicely settled down in their own house, at 1235 Clara Avenue. The house is a two-story brick, edifice of eight rooms and large cellar. In the rear, is a large yard-room, enough for an automobile garage and a chicken-house. Mr. Stigleman is planning to raise a large brood of fancy chickens of a certain breed.

The Public Opinion meeting, at 1210 Locust Street, is scheduled to be held on Friday evening, June 10th. It is to be hoped a good meeting will be held.

Miss Martha Bailey, aged seventy-one, on May 5th, celebrated her natal day by inviting a selected partyof intimate friends to her home. She has been in St. Louis since she was one year old, and is probably the oldest deaf-mute citizen of this city. She and her mother (the late Mrs. Ann C. Bailey) are widely known to most of the early-day pupils, who attend school at Fulton. Miss Bailey, who was born in New York City, is still hale and hearty.

The St. Louis Railway Club, of which J. S. Chenery is a member, had an outing near Forest Park, on a recent Saturday afternoon. Mr. Chenery and his family were among the crowd, and it was one of the best events ever given by the Club. Mr. Chenery's brother, Edward A., is president of said Club.

Mr. Hugh Stack was on the sick list several days last week, being confined to bed by a painful wound on his left side.

On the night of the 18th inst., Miss Minnie Hawn was nearly frightened to death concerning reports of Halley's Comet destroying the world. She imagined that the Judgment Day was approaching. After the meteoric shower was all over, she thanked her lucky stars she was alive.

A. N. Merrell, Old Orchard, Mo., has purchased a brand new billard table. He invites all his friends who visit him to pass a pleasant hour at his house shooting fifteen ball games.

Mrs. Delia Stocksick and her two daughters, Annie and Jennie, are now living with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, at 13515 Barrett Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Blevins and child have moved into a new home, on the second floor of 4058 Kennerly Avenue.

F. W. Hammer, having been steadily employed by the Hamilton Brown Shoe Company, is the oldest employe of the firm. He has been working in the local shops for twenty-one years. They call him by a certain nickname.

A number of the boys departed early Saturday afternoon, for the lake near Careyville, Ill., on a fishing trip. They will remain over Sunday, and return home Sunday night. They are Messrs. Stafford, Hunter, Burgherr and Palecek.

Mrs. Chas. Haig and child, who intended going to De Soto, Mo., to visit her sister, had to postpone the trip. So she departed Saturday morning, May 14th, for one month's visit. Hubby will try to get used to bachelor's hall till his better half returns.

Services in the Dioceses of Albany and Central New York.

First Sunday in the month: Morning, Troy; afternoon, Albany evening, Amsterdam.
Second Sunday: Morning, Syracuse; afternoon, Oneida; evening, Utica.
Third Sunday: Morning, Troy; afternoon, Schenectady; evening, Herkimer.
Fourth Sunday: Morning, Utica; afternoon, Rome; evening, Syracuse.
The above is the ordinary arrangement of services. Departures from this arrangement and appointments for week-day services will be announced by postal card.

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FANWOOD.

Saturday evening, May 21st, the members of the Fanwood Literary Association were pleasantly entertained in the chapel by the members of the graduating class of 1910. After a few remarks by Dr. Fox, relating to leaving school, Cadet Charles Givens took the platform and gave an interesting story, concluding by saying farewell. He was followed by cadets Lydon, R. Golden, Andes, and Knipe, and Misses Palmeri, Lee, Attig, Howe and Albert. Miss McKeown was absent, so did not appear. All of the above gave excellent stories, ending by wishing success to the Association. Then First Sergeant William Krieger took the platform and did as the others had done, and was followed by Chief Musician Frederick Fancher, who is also Second Vice-President of the Association. Frederick related a story of exceptional interest. After him came Cadet Captains Nimmo and Gompers, the former relating "The Man Without a Country" in a very effective manner, while the latter, humorous to the end, related a few choice jokes. Both Captains ended by saying farewell and wishing success to the Association. Then the last, but not least, member to take the platform came up. The last member being no other than First Vice-President Frank Lux. He gave several humorous stories, concluding by pointing out the difference between the fourth grade pupil, who quakes in the grip of "stage-fright" when he first comes on the platform, and the same pupil a year or two hence, thus proving that the Association really does much good to the deaf. Dr. Fox then called the entire graduating class before him, and shook hands with each, wishing them success and happiness in life at the same time. After that he gave the various news of the week, such as the funeral of King Edward, the newest addition to our Navy, describing the armament, etc. After that nothing else being on hand the meeting adjourned.

Saturday afternoon the Fanwood Regulars met and defeated the Keystone A. C. team by the score of 11 to 2. The improved fielding of the home team was a great factor in securing the victory, Fanwood making only one error. The batting was excellent, we getting seventeen hits to the opposing team's six. Two home runs were made by Lux, and the pitching of Nimmo is too well known to need extra plaudits, he striking out fifteen men, the opposing team's pitcher doing only six. In all, according to the poet, "'twas a famous victory." Following are the positions, etc.

KEYSTONE A. C.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Reynolds, c	4	0	1	5	3	0
Ackerly, rf	4	0	1	1	1	0
F. Fleming, 3b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Jordan, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Norten, ss	4	0	1	2	2	2
D. Fleming, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	1
Barrett, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Sumers, cf	2	1	0	3	1	0
Mendel, c	3	0	0	1	3	1
Total	32	2	6	24	11	4

FANWOOD	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Blechner, ss	6	2	4	2	1	0
Lieberz, 3b	4	2	0	2	2	1
Nimmo, p	5	0	3	0	4	0
Lux, c	5	0	4	16	1	0
Gompers, lf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Andrews, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Garrison, 1b	5	2	2	4	0	0
Trinks, 2b	4	2	2	1	0	0
Dennan, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Total	39	11	17	27	8	1

Blechner ran for Nimmo.

KEYSTONE A. C.	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	—2
FANWOOD	1	3	0	1	2	4	0	0	x	—11

Two base hits—Nimmo, Lux, 2; F. Fleming, D. Fleming, Jordan. Stolen bases—Gompers, F. Fleming, D. Fleming, Jordan. First base on errors— K. A. C., 2. Struck out—By Nimmo, 15; Mendsl, 5. First base on balls—Off Nimmo, 3; off Jordan, 10. Left on bases—Fanwood, 12; K. A. C., 5. Time of game—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—Mr. Margraf. Scorer—William Krieger.

Through the influence of Miss Pattie Thomason, cadet Captains Lux and Nimmo visited Mr. Stallings, Manager of the Yankees, with the result that the latter invited them to the American League Park to practice every morning. They gladly accepted his kind offer and are still going there.

The Third Baseball Team has been outfitted with complete uniforms. They donned them for the first time last Saturday, and in them beat the Public School No. 6, by the score of fifteen to a goose egg. The team appreciate the kindness of Principal Currier and hope that all their games may be as good.

Thirteen new Soapators have been installed in the boys' lavatory as an experiment, to see if they work better than the open cake of soap.

Nearly all the pupils have seen Halley's Comet so the dissapearance of the celestial visitor causes no regrets.

The services in the chapel were conducted by Prof. Jones in the morning using Thessalonians 1 : 2-12. In the afternoon Prof. Thomason dilated on the value of an education. In the evening Prof. Jones related "Babette of the Mill," an excellent story.

The examinations are coming. This bug-a-boo of the lazy boy is clearly defined on the horizon, and let us hope that none of us shall find our Nemesis in an examination paper.

The usual afternoon review and parade was run off last Sunday, Cadet Captain Lux acting as Major. A vast crowd witnessed the evolutions.

J. H. Q.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

The last meeting of the National Literary Society—the last until next fall—was held on May 5th. Mr. Ellegood offered a set of resolutions, in the nature of amendments to the by-laws, which were laid on the table until the October meeting. Mr. E. E. Bernsdorff opened the literary program with an instructive and entertaining lecture on the beginning of the Standard Oil Company. He did not have time to go into details or to tell the members how to be multimillionaires and confined himself to giving a general sketch of the origin and growth of the oil refiniug industry. Mr. Beansdorff prefaced his lecture by congratulating President Erickson on the recent addition to his family, remarking that the comet had not had any ill effects.

Next on the program was an impromptu debate on the question as to whether wages had increased in proportion to the increase in the cost of living, in which quite a number of the members took part.

Then came a mock trial that was highly amusing. Attoney Caslow for the planitiff (Mrs. Souder), and Attorney Eskin for the defendant (Mr. Marshall) made very effective arguments for their clints, and Judge Blaine rendered a decision worthy of the occasion.

An informal, but none-the-less enjoyable social followed the literary exercises.

Mrs. Elliott has returned from New Jersey, and Mr. Bernsdorff got back from Pittsburg just in time for his lecture before the "Lit."

Quite a few of the people have been on the sick list lately, but fortunately none ot the ailments were serious. Among them were Messrs. Edelen and Clark and Mrs. Boland.

The St. Barnabas Guild was entertained by Mrs J. S. Edelen, on the 4th inst., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill.

An election of officers was held, resulting as follows: President, Mr. Merrill; Vice-President, Miss Edington; Secretary, Mr. Marshall; Treasurer, Mr. Edelen.

Some other business was transacted, after which the members of the Guild proceeded to enjoy themselves and to do justice to the ice cream, cake and other refreshments.

Besides the members of the Guild and of the Mission, Dr. Hotchkiss, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard and Misses Gorman, Fish, Neldon, Kipp and McDonald, and Mr. R. J. Stewart were also present.

Beginning Sunday, May 22d, the services of St. Barnabas (Episcopal) Mission will be held in the Church of the Good Shepherd, corner of Sixth and I Streets, Northeast. It is thought that this location is more convenient for the deaf than the old one.

The services will be held in the afternoon instead of in the morning, and will meet at 3:30 P.M.

Rev. Mr. Abbott, rector of the church, is very much interested in the mission, and will do all he can te make things comfortable.

At the Annual Convention of the Washington Diocese of the Episcopal Church, held last week, Dr. R. P. Williams was re-elected a member of the Standing Committee, and also selected as a delegate to the Convention in Cincinnati. Dr. W. L. De Voies was elected as an alternate to the Cincinnati Convention. Doctors Williams and De Voies take an active interest in the local Mission to the Deaf.

Mr. Roy Johnson has a good position with the Geological Survey, with a good prospects of advancement.

Mr, Roberts' boy, Raymond, recently received a substantial increase in salary. He and his bride have taken an apartment in the Oregonian.

Mrs. Graham, Mrs. M. O. Roberts' mother, is now in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Kilgore and Mr. Cooper, of Baltimore, came to Washington to attend the "Hop," at Gallaudet College, and remained in town Saturday and Sunday visiting their respective friends.

Are you going to Colorado Springs this Summer? If not, subscribe for the JOURNAL and read full accounts of the proceedings of the Convention. If you are going, better subscribe at once, so as to know what the program will be. Apply early and avoid the rush!

M.

Rev. J. W. Michaels, of Little Rock, Ark., the well-known and beloved Baptist Missionary to the Deaf of the South, preached to a large congregation of the Washington Deaf at Calvary Baptist Church, Sunday afternoon, May 15th. His text was from Proverbs 23 : 29. "Who hath woe? Who hath sorrow? Who hath contention? Who hath babbling? Who hath wounds without a cause? Who hath redness of eyes?"

It was through Rev. Michaels, when on a visit to Washington, a little over two years ago, that Prof. A. D. Bryant was induced to take up the work and re-organize the old Calvary Baptist Deaf-Mute Mission of twenty-five years ago, which by the way, was the first deaf-mute mission to be established in Washington, but, which for the lack of a regular preacher and interpreters had fallen into a state of coma. As we have stated before in the JOURNAL, Mr. Bryant's efforts have been crowned with phenomenal success, and the Mission is now one of the most united and flourishing missions for the deaf in the entire country.

Rev. Michaels left for Baltimore, Md., where he preached to the deaf of the Monumental City, the same evening.

The last literary meeting of the National Literary Society for the season was held in Flynn's Hall, on the evening of May 5th. An excellent program had been arranged and which was as follows :

Lecture, "The Standard Oil Trust," by Mr. E. E. Bernsdorff; Mock Trial, A Breach of Promise case before "Judge" Blaine. Plaintiff, Mrs. W. P. Souder; Defendant, Mr. W. O. Marshall; Plaintiff's attorney, Mr. Caslow; Defendant's attorney, Mr. Eskin; Foreman of the Jury, Mr. Erickson. The dialogue was well acted and proved to be highly amusing. A resolution reflecting on the integrity of certain members was introducted by one of the members, which has caused the prompt resignation of one of the most prominent members of the Society and the threatened withdrawal of several others. It is likely to cause quite a squall, if it is not choked off and reparation made before the business meeting of the Society in October. Certain members should be more careful about "slinging mud" before they are able to substantiate their accusations.

"There's more than one way to skin a cat."

Mr. Wm. Pfunder delivered a very interesting lecture on the life of C. H. Spurgeon, before the Calvary Mission, on the evening of May 11th.

The Mission will have a strawberry and ice cream festival, on the evening of May 28th. Fifteen cents per plate will be charged. The following men selected to see that it will be a success, (of which there is no doubt), Mr. Bernsdorff, Miss Dailey and Mesdames Elliott and Edington. Remember the date. Every body will be welcome. A literary and social program will be arranged for the enjoyment of all.

Miss Clara Taliafero entertained the members of the Bible Class and their friends in the banquet room of Calvary Church, Thursday evening, May 12th. During the evening the following were elected as officers of the Class to serve during the ensuing year: President, Mr. G. O. Erickson; Vice-President, Miss S. L. Dailey; Treasurer, Mr. Wm. Pfunder; Corresponding Secretary, Mr. W. P. Souden; Recording Secretary, Mrs. H. Edington; Chairman Sick Committee, Mr. E. E. Bernsdorff and Mrs. H. Edington.

The Class feels lucky in securing the services of a leador with such ability as Mr. Erickson has proved himself to possess. He has been President of the National Literary Society for the past year, taking up the reins when the Society was high and dry upon the rocks and, was on the serge of a dissolution when by his influence and personal magnetism guided it into quieter waters. He will undoubtedly be unaimously re-elected to precide over the destinies of the Society for anofher term.

While deeply regretting the enforced retirement of Dr. Gallaudet on account of the night of advancing years, from the Presidency of Gallaudet College, which the good Doctor has so creditably filled for so many years, it is with extreme satisfaction that we learn that Prof. Precival Hall is to fill the vacancy. Especially so is it to the members of Calvary Mission, in which Prof. Hall has taken a deep interest ever since its inception. Calvary Mission wishes Dr. Gallaudet many years of ease which his long years of labor for the welfare of the Deaf have earned; and to Prof. Hall congratulations and best wishes with a full knowledge that he will do his utmost to fill the vacancy created by his illustrious predecessor.

Mr. Wm. Lowell has rented a small farm near Beltsville, Md., where he will move his family in a few days. He expects to engage in the poultry business, although still retaining his position in the Pension Office.

Mr. Wm. Brookmire, of the Pension Office, is also on the look-out for a country place where he and his family can hie themselves when the sweltering summer days come around.

Mrs. Ferd. Harrison is getting ready to leave for Colorado Springs, Col., where she will take in the Convention of the N. A. D. while spending the summer with her parents.

What's the matter with electing Jay Cooke Howard as the next president of the N. A. D.? Isn't he an educated, polished, suave, hard-headed and practical business-man, such a one as would keep the N. A. D. up to the standard set by its present president?

Mr. W. W. Duvall, Jr., of Baltimore, Md., is in town for a few days' stay, after which he goes to West Virginia on business.

Miss Sadie Dailey entertained Mr. and Mrs. Pfunder, Miss Dougherty and Mr. Bieri at supper Sunday evening. Miss Dougherty leaves for her home in Delaware, Monday, May 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Painter have moved from Georgetown to the South West part of town. Mr. Painter wants to be nearer his place of occupation. He has almost entirely recovered from the effects of an operation which he underwent some time ago.

OCCASIONAL.

GENEVA, N. Y.

Mrs. M. F. Tuttle entertained her friends at her fine residence on the ocassion of the anniversary of her birthday recently. She was in one of her happiest and merriest moods.

Prizes were awarded to the following lucky winners: Mrs. J. Bews, in flinch; Mr. J. Bews, in hearts; J. L. Connerton, in pig-drawing contest, blindfolded; L. Pulever (booby prize) in Hearts.

After refreshments, which was enjoyed to their hearts' content, they remained chatting pleasantly till the wee sma' hours.

If our Altro friends contemplate going to have a Labor Day outing anywhere, may we ask them to come to the Sylvan Beach. Doubtlessly the following names of the former Trojans and Albanians, will go if convenient for them to do so: Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs, of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Connerton, of Geneva, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, of Rome, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Schenectady, Messrs. Drum, of Herkimer, and Witbeck, of Schenectady, and others. To Messrs. C. Augustus Smith, H. Burt, C. F. Mull and Matt Kendricks and others too numerous to mention here. What say ye to this suggestion?

Among the deaf visitors in Rochester, at the Sunday meeting recently were; Mr. Kosland, Miss Lamm and her friend of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Connerton, Mrs. J. Bews, Miss M. Garvey, of Geneva, Mr. L. Pulver and Miss B. Cosgrove, of Clifton Spring.

Miss Mary Garvey is doing Geneva and vicinity to help the Buffalo sub-collector swell the motion picture fund. She is meeting with fair success, finding every one she accosts willing to give some thing with good grace.

EXCHANGE

"The strongest position in a family argument is to keep a silent tongue."

The comet has come and gone! Never touched us B'gosh!

Lorenzo Pulver, who recently sold out his poultry business interests at Macedona, N. Y., has moved to Clifton Springs where he is engaged in the Auto business.

J. L. C.

NOTICE.

The meeting of the New Jersey State Association of the Deaf, to be held at Eagle Rock, near Newark, N. J., will be called to order at 10:30 A.M., May 30th, 1910, if there is a quorum present.

To reach Eagle Rock :—Take the Orange cars marked West Orange, which go direct to the Rock, then get a transfer for another car that runs to the top of the Rock.

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The new building will occupy a plot of ground about forty-five feet along the street front and twenty-five feet in depth. It will be three stories in height, with a basement, and will be used for the social, religious and industrial needs of the deaf-mutes of New York. The amount required for "The Gallaudet Memorial Parish Building" will be about $30,000, and the building itself, in its position and purpose, will form a conspicuous monument to him whose life was devoted to the silent peoples. They themselves heartily endorse the memorial.

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